

Call for Papers



# Pipeline Technology Conference 2011

4-5 April 2011, HANNOVER MESSE, Germany



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## WELCOME TO THE 6<sup>TH</sup> PIPELINE TECHNOLOGY CONFERENCE

The successful combination of international conference and accompanying exhibition within the framework of HANNOVER MESSE - the world's most important technology event - is continued in 2011.

For the 6<sup>th</sup> consecutive year the ptc is inviting the **international pipeline community** to exchange their knowledge and meet colleagues from all over the world. About 50% of the participants are coming from abroad, and people from 47 different nations attended so far, making the conference and exhibition a truly international event.

The conference has always been a platform for discussions on new **key projects, operational improvements, pipeline integrity, safety aspects** and **new technologies**. Conference participants include decision-makers from oil, gas and water corporations, authorities, operators, research institutes and engineers.

New technologies for the construction, operation

and maintenance of onshore and offshore pipeline will again be the main focus for ptc 2011. Some topics in this regard are going to be:

- Rehabilitation of aging pipelines in Eastern Europe and Central Asia (cost efficient solutions)
- Pipeline life-cycle extension strategies (integrity assessment)
- Rules and regulation for the transportation of oil, gas and other media (CO<sub>2</sub>, biogas, etc.)
- see page 3 for details on further topics

The conference will feature lectures and presentations on all aspects surrounding pipeline systems. Interested parties are invited to **submit presentation proposals** and/or to **book their own small booth** at the accompanying exhibition.

With already six sponsors and new high-ranking members that recently joined the advisory committee, the oncoming conference is underlining its strong position in the global pipeline calendar.

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## CONFERENCE TOPICS

### World Pipeline Outlook

The Pipeline Technology Conference is officially opened with the World Pipeline Outlook. This plenary session focuses on political issues and **new pipeline projects** mainly in Germany, Europe and worldwide for the present and future **security of energy supply**.

Besides presentations on the **political background** and general guidelines for the sustainable economic development, **key projects** like Nord Stream, South Stream, Nabucco and others are being discussed.

### Operation and Maintenance Onshore and Offshore

Asset Management
Pipeline and Facilities Integrity
SCADA Systems
Monitoring / Surveillance
Control and Dispatching
Inspection and Leak Detection
Rehabilitation of Aging Pipelines
Repair Works
Life Cycle Extension Strategies
Third Party Impact
GIS / Database Development
Management Systems

### Planning and Construction Onshore and Offshore

Planning and Design
Route Analysis and Selection
Onshore and Offshore Construction
Construction Machinery
Pipeline Components, Materials
Welding Technologies
Trenchless Technologies
Logistics / Pipe Tracking
Pipeline Protection / Corrosion Control
Pipeline Coating
Compressor and Pump Stations

### Special Issues

LNG versus Pipeline
Standards and Regulations
Environmental Risks
Human Resources Development
Carbon Dioxide Transport (CCS)
Feeder Pipelines (Upstream)
Climate Challenges (cold, hot, humid)
Smart Grids / Smart Metering
Feed-in of Biogas
Unbundling
Product Pipelines

## PRESENTATION OPPORTUNITIES

Interested speakers are invited to submit an abstract (max. 300 words) describing the main ideas of their paper together with an author's CV (max. 200 words). Each speaker gets a presentation time of 20 minutes with additional 5-10 minutes for discussion. The presented papers will be published in the conference proceedings and distributed to the conference attendees. Conference language: English. All required data should be submitted via e-mail to: Mr. Dennis Fandrich, [fandrich@eitep.de](mailto:fandrich@eitep.de) (or you could use our PDF template at [www.pipeline-conference.com/call-for-papers](http://www.pipeline-conference.com/call-for-papers) to fill in your details and send it via e-mail).

- **Deadline for abstract submission: 30 September 2010**
- Notification of abstract acceptance: 31 October 2010
- Final conference paper due: 15 February 2011

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## New ptc abstract database

The new Pipeline Technology Conference website now features the possibility to have a look into all the past abstracts from the last 5 years of Pipeline Technology Conference.

For further information on specific presentations/papers there is a possibility to order a copy of that year's conference proceedings.

Visit our ptc abstract database and browse through all previous presentations in order to get a deeper insight into the spread of topics being covered during the past 5 years of Pipeline Technology Conference.

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